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Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

ISHIZAWA ET AL.

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JYOTI NAGPAUL

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) JYOTI NAGPAUL.

(3) _____.

(2) Danial Stanger.

(4) _____.

Date of Interview: 15 April 2008.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☐ Personal (copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-21.

Identification of prior art discussed: Koeda et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☐ was not reached. h) ☒ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Applicants initiated interview with regards to the approximate general curve recited in claim 1. The curve is generated during the first several tens of tests for analysis where no significant bubble formation occurs as shown in Figure 3 of applicants' drawings. Any amendments to the claims will require further consideration as this case is under final.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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/Jill Warden/

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